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TAGS: BEXP, IS

SUBJECT: COUNTRY COMMERCIAL PROGRAM - WCAG MEETING

1. WASHINGTON COMMERCIAL ACTION GROUP (WCAG) FOR ISRAEL  
MET FEBRUARY 25 TO DISCUSS FIRST QUARTER PROGRESS OF FY 77  
CCP. REFTEL WAS ENCOURAGING IN THAT POST REPORTED "NO  
EXCEPTIONS" FOR FIRST QUARTER INITIATIVE ACTIONS.

2. WE WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING UPDATED INFORMATION ON  
POST'S PLANNING FOR "MINI TRADE CENTER SHOW" EVENTS. UNDER  
CAMPAIGN NO. 4, A SMALL SHOW AND SEMINAR AT THE USIS  
AUDITORIUM, USING THE MERO SYSTEM, IS PLANNED FOR EARLY  
MARCH 1977. IS THIS EVENT STILL SCHEDULED FOR MARCH?  
SIMILARLY, UNDER CAMPAIGN NO. 7, SECOND QUARTER ACTIONS ARE  
REQUIRED PREPARATORY TO A MINI SHOW IN JULY ON LABORATORY  
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INSTRUMENTS. HAVE DATES BEEN SET FOR THIS EVENT?

3. HOW HAS POSTPONEMENT OF DUE DATES FOR BOTH USDOC  
CONTRACTED AND POST CONDUCTED RESEARCH AFFECTED POST'S  
ALLOCATION OF RESOURCES?

4. A NUMBER OF FIRST QUARTER CCP ACTIONS INVOLVE USIS

SUPPORT. WE ASSUME THESE ACTIONS COULD BE COMPLETED AS  
SCHEDULED HOWEVER, PLEASE ADVISE IF ANY PARTICULAR  
PROBLEMS HAVE ARISEN TO PREVENT OR DELAY IMPLEMENTATION.  
5. POST IS COMMENDED FOR REVIVING COMMERCIAL NEWSLETTER  
AND FOR THE QUALITY OF RECENT ISSUES. WHAT KIND OF  
RECEPTION HAS THE NEWSLETTER HAD IN THE BUSINESS  
COMMUNITY?  
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